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- CANDIDATES TO SUCCEED ZHAO AS PREMIER  
- VICE PREMIER LI PENG  
- VICE PREMIER TIAN JIYUN  
- VICE PREMIER QIAO SHI  
- TIANJIN MAYOR LI PUIQUAN

INCLUDE:

LI PENG, AN ADVOCATE OF MODERATELY PACED REFORM, IS CURRENTLY  
IMPERED TO BE THE LEADING CONTENDER TO SUCCEED ZHAO AS PREMIER.

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(S) (C) ITEMS OF INTEREST--

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